

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of: John F. Porter

Confirmation No. 7560

Serial No. 10/696,751

Examiner: Maki, Steven D.

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Group Art Unit: 1733

For: Methods of Making Smooth Reinforced Cementitious Boards

M.S. Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Introductory Comments

The application hereof was published as US 2004/0084127. This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action mailed May 3, 2006. Please consider the following remarks and amendments.

Please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this Amendment.